

In **literacy** we will be focusing on the books 'The Colour Monster' – Anna Llenas and 'The Colour Monster Goes to School' – Anna Llenas.

We will be practising our fine and gross motor skills and writing our name.

**How can I help at home?**

Listen to the stories on YouTube.

Do your homework every week!

Talk about your feelings and emotions. How are you feeling today? What makes you happy? What makes you sad?

In **maths** we will be focusing on matching numbers 0, 1, 2, 3, 3D shapes, height, length, weight, counting to 5 and showing it on our fingers.

**How can I help at home?**

Sing lots of number songs e.g., 1,2,3,4,5 once I caught a fish allowed, one elephant went out to play etc.

Go on a shape hunt: what 3D shapes can you find in your home?

In **phonics** we will be focusing on Phase 1 letters and sounds.

**How can I help at home?**

Hear, say and write initial sounds in words.

Play lots of different listening games such as 'I spy' or 'Simon Says' etc.

Go on a sound walk. This could be in your home, in the garden, when you go shopping etc.



It is vital that your child gets to school on-time every day. The doors are open from **8.40am** so you can bring your child in to settle for the school day. The bell goes at 9am. Nursery finishes at **3.05pm**.

Classes are rewarded with £5 vouchers for the best attendance.



Old Moat  
Primary School

## Nursery Newsletter

### Spring 1

#### Our nursery team is...

**Mrs Ridings (Teacher)**

**Keyworker group: Bumblebees**

**Mrs Watson (TA)**

**Keyworker group: Ladybirds**

**Miss Carpenter (TA)**

**Keyworker group: Caterpillars**

**Miss Almond (TA)**

We would like to welcome Miss Almond our new teaching assistant into nursery. She will be working with some of our children in our class!



Our Big Question this term is...

**How am I today?**



Every Friday your child will be given a **library book**. Please take time to read it every night with your child. Books need to be returned on Tuesdays.

**Homework** will be given out on Fridays and will need to be returned Tuesdays.

#### Celebrations, Festivals, and Events!

Spring

New Year- 1/1/23

Lunar New Year – Feb

National Storytelling Week- 30<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> Feb

Time to talk day- 2/2/23

Number Day- 4/2/23

Children's Mental Health Week - 6<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> Feb

Valentine's Day- 14/2/23

Safer internet day- 14/2/23

Shrove Tuesday- 21/2/23

Ash Wednesday-22/2/23



You can see what your child is learning in nursery by logging into their Tapestry account. Login information will be sent to your email address.

**Don't forget to label ALL your child's belongings e.g., clothing and bags.  
Please bring a spare change of clothes too.**